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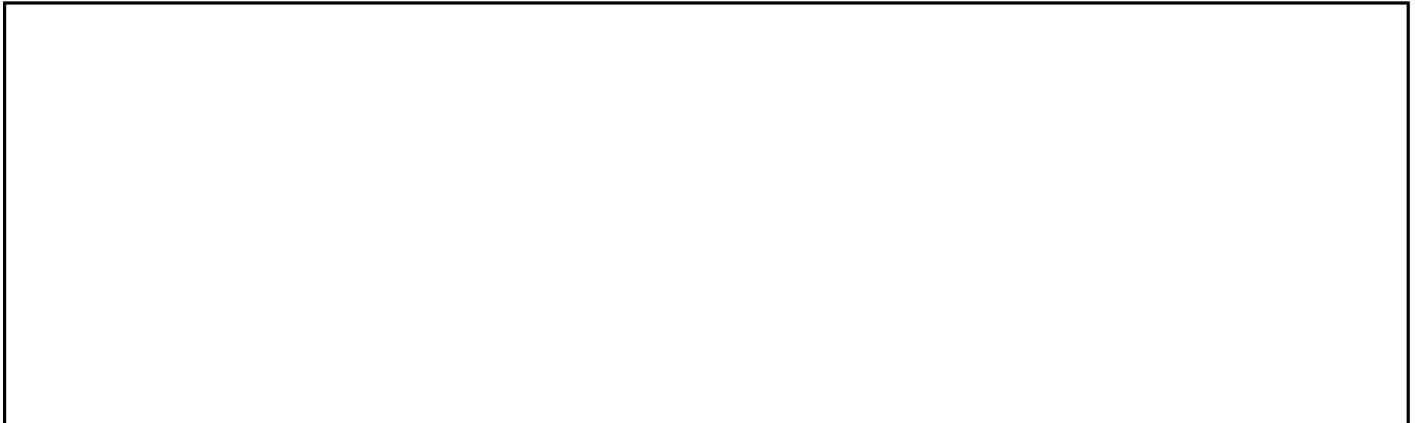
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2. (Secret - JGO) Received a call from [redacted] who told me that he has reviewed the Kirchheimer paper on classification of information in open society and recommends that the Agency maintain a low profile and not comment on the paper. He further recommended that there be no meeting with Mr. Kirchheimer on this subject. [redacted] DODS, has been advised. See Journal of 9 March 1972. 25X1

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3. (Internal Use Only - JGO) At the request of Mr. John Richards, CA staff, I called Mr. Al Westphal, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, and confirmed with him the current status of the RFE/RL conference report. In accordance with the rules of the House of Representatives, the report will lie on the table for three days and then be voted on. Senator George Aiken (R., Vt.), acting Chairman of the Senate conferees in the absence of Senator Fulbright who is away from the city for the remainder of the week, has indicated that he will make no statement until after the House has voted on the report of the conferees. The report, in effect, adopts the Case bill, S. 18, which provides for financing through 30 June 1972.

4. (Unclassified - JGO) Delivered a copy of a 7 March front-page article from the Swiss newspaper Neve Zuercher Zeiting to the office of Representative Peter Frelinghuysen (R., N.J.).

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5. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and reviewed with him a proposed letter to Representative Les Aspin (D., Wis.) on congressional briefings. Mr. Slatinshek feels the letter will suit the purpose and made but a single word change. He does feel, however, that it would be best if we would take the time to take it by Chairman Hebert before release. I told Mr. Slatinshek that we plan to.

I also left with Mr. Slatinshek an unclassified outline of Soviet naval ships-1971 data for his use and briefed him on the following items: Soviet

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6. (Unclassified - GLC) Talked with Tom Vail, Chief Counsel, Senate Finance Committee, about the status of H.R. 9900, the bill to provide a tax benefit for military personnel and civilian employees while they are in a missing or prisoner of war status. Vail said the Committee was tied up in work on H.R. 1 and would not get to the missing persons legislation until some time in April at the earliest. I told him we would like to talk with him about this bill as it might apply to a matter of some sensitivity in the Agency. Vail asked that I drop him a note which he could put in the bill file as a reminder to insure they contacted us before taking any action on H.R. 9900. I told him I would do so.

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9. (Secret - GLC) Talked with Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, about the material which they would want covered in our budget presentation. Braswell was concerned that we not discuss certain especially sensitive areas in this briefing. See Memorandum for the Record.

Braswell mentioned the Committee would be meeting on Thursday on executive business and Chairman Stennis might decide to take up General Walter's confirmation at that time. He said he would let us know as soon as the Chairman made a decision.



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10. (Secret - GLC) Met with Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, and brought him up-to-date on a number of current intelligence items. See Memorandum for the Record.



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I mentioned to Woodruff that Senator Stennis had asked us to give a general briefing to the CIA Subcommittee on the Agency budget some time in the very near future. Woodruff saw no problem from their standpoint and was in agreement with the areas which Braswell had indicated they wanted covered.

11. (Unclassified - GLC) George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called and referred to the news accounts of the sentencing of the British officer for spying and the expulsion of four East European diplomats from Italy on spying charges. Murphy said he would like any information we could give him on these cases having to do with atomic energy information or the security of NATO.

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12. (Confidential - JMM) In the course of several conversations with Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, regarding the Director's appearance before the Agency Subcommittee, it developed that:

a. No meeting with the Agency will be scheduled this week and probably not next week.

b. The meeting will probably begin at 10:00 a.m. and they would hope to keep it down to an hour but it might run over until lunch time.

c. They would expect a brief opening statement by the Director, perhaps 20 or 30 minutes--followed by discussion.

d. We should expect a number of questions on Laos and the funding of the program there.

13. (Confidential - JMM) Called Miss Ward, in the office of Senator John Stennis, to try to get a firm date for General Walters to meet the Senator. She said she would schedule us for 2:15 p.m. tomorrow and confirm later.

14. (Unclassified - JMM) [] the Norfolk Virginia Pilot,
[] called to say he had word that I had made a talk to a college group and wondered what the Agency policy was on such matters. He asked what I could tell him "on the record." I said "off the record" I could say that we occasionally meet, on invitation, with serious students of government and international relations but weren't pushing any program and didn't want to advertise such activity since we tried to keep it "off the record." [] said he didn't think it realistic to keep meetings with members of unscreened students "off the record" from the press. He asked who he could talk to in the Agency for an "on the record" comment, and I referred him to Angus Thuermer.

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15. (Unclassified - PLC) Miss Sheila Kee, in the office of Representative Don Edwards (D., Calif.), called to discuss a letter from a constituent raising certain questions as to the activities of the Agency and its funding. I suggested that she submit the letter to the Legislative Counsel and we would assist her in the preparation of an appropriate reply.

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16. (Unclassified - PLC) Mr. Hadlock, Library of Congress, called concerning a letter to a congressman from a constituent requesting the testimony of Lyman Kirkpatrick in 1961 before the Internal Security Committee. Mr. Hadlock stated that he had checked the House Committee on Un-American Activities with negative results. I suggested that he check the records of the Internal Security Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary since Mr. Kirkpatrick may have testified before that Committee. Mr. Hadlock called back shortly thereafter and advised that he had located the testimony which was titled "A Communist Plot Against the Free World Police" given June 13, 1961, by Mr. Kirkpatrick before the Senate Subcommittee on Internal Security.

17. (Unclassified - JAL) Pat, in the office of Congressman Peter W. Rodino, Jr. (D., N. J.), called asking us to set up an interview for a constituent. I called the Office of Personnel and set up an interview with

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18. (Unclassified - RJK) Delivered to the offices of Representatives Shirley Chisholm (D., N. Y.), Lester Wolff (D., N. Y.), John Murphy (D., N. Y.), Morgan Murphy (D., Ill.), Gerald Ford (R., Mich.), and Senator J. W. Fulbright (D., Ark.) FBIS items in which their names were mentioned.

19. (Unclassified - RJK) Delivered China Atlases to Nancy Granese, in the office of Representative Donald Fraser (D., Minn.) and Mrs. Ong, in the office of Representative Glenn Anderson (D., Calif.).

20. (Unclassified - SMG) Ray Barnes, in the office of Representative John McFall (D., Calif.), called to set up an interview for a constituent, [REDACTED] After checking with [REDACTED] I told him that an appointment has been scheduled for 2:30 tomorrow afternoon.

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Mr. Thuermer Mr. Houston

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Item 6 - [REDACTED]

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Item 7 - [REDACTED]

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